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## NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant(s) hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated February 4, 2002 finally rejecting Claims 1-2, 6-9, 13-20, 22-24, 27-29, 33-38, 40-47, 49-53, 56-64 and 66 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on 1. for month(s).
- 2. 冈 A Petition For Extension Of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 is attached hereto in triplicate.
- 3. 冈 A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- 4. Fee \$320.00: for filing of Notice of Appeal

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 10-0750/J&J1882/ALC.

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